

Betty Angel Jennings, 74, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, July 18, 2007, at John F. Keever Solace Center in Asheville, after a very courageous battle with cancer.

A native and lifelong resident of Macon County, she was the daughter of the late William Grover and Evelyn Earley Angel. She was married for 48 years to Paul Jackson Jennings, who passed away in 2002. She was also preceded in death by a brother, James Howard Angel, who passed away in 2004.

She retired from Belden of Franklin in 1996 after 30 years of dedicated service. Betty was a very devoted and loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and a kind and understanding friend to many. She will be sorely missed by all who knew her.

Left to cherish her memory are her two daughters, Barbara Jennings of Franklin and Gloria Lowrey of Winston-Salem; two grandsons, Casey Jennings and John Lowrey, both of Chapel Hill; a sister, Madge Salter of Brevard; four brothers, Kenneth Angel of Etowah, Earl Angel of Gastonia, Don Angel of Little River, S.C., and Gene Angel of Fort Myers, Fla.; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Friday, July 20, at 7 p.m., in the Chapel of Bryant Funeral Home in Franklin with the Revs. Steve Reeves and Alton Dendy officiating. The family will receive friends two hours prior to the service at Bryant Funeral Home and at other times will be at the home of Earl Angel, 1792 Wells Grove Rd., Franklin, NC 28734.

A private burial will be held at Wells Grove Baptist Church Cemetery at a later date.

Honorary pallbearers will be her brothers and grandsons.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to John F. Keever Jr. Solace Center, c/o CarePartners Hospice Foundation, P.O. Box 5779, Asheville, NC 28813 or through the website www.carepartnersfoundation.org.

Online condolences are available by visiting www.MeM.com or www.bryantfuneralhomes.com.

Bryant Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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